MURRAY THANKSGIVING INVITATIONAL 2009

November 19th-21st Sanctioned by Utah Swimming

Invitational -

In granting this sanction, it is understood USA Swimming and Utah Swimming, Inc. shall be free and held harmless from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event. Whether entries are submitted electronically or on paper, by the action of entering the swimmer in the meet the submitter whether the swimmer, coach, parent or team representative, certifies that the swimmer is a registered member of USA Swimming and that all times stated in/on the entry are true and correct. The submitter further assumes responsibility for any false or incorrect times, and understands that all listed entry times are subject to Utah Swimming Time Verification Procedures, and that a fine of \$20.00 shall be paid to Utah Swimming, Inc. for each incorrect time, unless corrected before the entry deadline. It is understood that an automatic call before the review section shall be the result for a third entry time that cannot be verified. The submitter further agrees that a penalty of \$100.00 shall be assessed to anyone entering a swimmer in a meet sanctioned by Utah Swimming, Inc. who is not registered with USA Swimming at the time of entry, upon it being proven that the swimmer was not so registered.

Murray City Recreation Murray Aquatic Club

Sponsors:

Events:	Swimmers may only swim (7) seven events. No more than (4) four events per day The meet will be limited in swimmers to adhere to the 4 hour rule. Entries will be
Timed Finals:	All events will be timed finals. No time trials will be offered.
Age:	Swimmers age as of November 19th, 2009 will determine age for the entire meet.
Rules:	Official 2009 USA Swimming Rules will govern the meet. All swimmers must be registered with USA Swimming. No on deck registrations.
Timing:	Colorado Times, Horn Start, Electronic Full Display Score boards.
Course:	25 Yard Championship Pool, 8 Lanes, Non-turbulent ropes, Paragon Starting Platforms.
Meet Director:	Jared Huff Direct questions to Jared Huff at jhuff@murrayschools.org
Location:	The Park Center at Murray 202 Murray Park Ave. Murray, Utah 84107

Email entries to Jared Huff-jhuff@murrayschools.org

accepted and entered into Hy-Tek Meet Manager in the order they are received. The Meet Director will produce Session Reports (using a 20 second Heat Interval) to determine when to close the meet to additional teams and swimmers. No team will be split, unless they express that desire. A mandatory scratch down will apply at this meet, subject to the provisions of USA Swimming Rules and Regulations (205.3.1F). If a scratch-down is needed to meet the four (4) hour time limit, swimmers will be reimbursed. A check will be sent to each team needing reimbursement.

Entry Deadline: Received by November 16th, 2009. Late entries will not be accepted

Meet Referee: Thursday: George Coburn Friday/Saturday: Carolynne Burt

Meet Starter: Thursday: Rob Miner Friday/Saturday: Barry Hayden

Starting Time: Thursday – Warm up 6:45 pm. Meet 7:30 pm.

Friday – Warm up 4:00 pm. Meet 4:45 pm. Saturday – Warm up 7:30 am. Meet 8:30 am.

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Awards:

Individual High Point Trophies- 1st - 6th overall in each age group (excluding 15 and

over age group)

Individual Events - Ribbons 1st -6th place.

Team Trophies- 1st-6th

Each swimmer will receive a participation pin.

Entry Fees: Individual event fee is \$3.00. There is a \$4.00 surcharge per swimmer.

Officials who work one session or more may see the Meet Referee concerning a refund of Entry Fees. All fees must accompany entries and are non-refundable. **Make check payable**

to Murray Aquatic Club.

Qualifying Times: Swimmers will be allowed (1) one NT per day

Scoring: A 12 place scoring system will be used to determine the individual high point and team

places in the Invitational meet. The following points will be given:

 $1^{\text{st}} = 16 \text{ points}$ $7^{\text{th}} = 7 \text{ points}$ $2^{\text{nd}} = 13 \text{ points}$ $8^{\text{th}} = 5 \text{ points}$ $3^{\text{rd}} = 12 \text{ points}$ $9^{\text{th}} = 4 \text{ points}$ $4^{\text{th}} = 11 \text{ points}$ $10^{\text{th}} = 3 \text{ points}$ $5^{\text{th}} = 10 \text{ points}$ $11^{\text{th}} = 2 \text{ points}$ $6^{\text{th}} = 9 \text{ points}$ $12^{\text{th}} = 1 \text{ point}$

Events will be scored according to the following age groups: 8-under, 9-10, 11-12, 13-

14, 15-over

Check In Procedure: This meet will use the negative check-in procedure. Coaches or a team

Representative need only declare scratches and no-shows with the Clerk Of Course at least 15 minutes prior to the starting time of the meet each day

Scratch Procedure: Only coaches may scratch a swimmer from an event. Scratches must be reported at

least 30 minutes before the event is to be swam. Any swimmer missing an event will be disqualified from that event and will be barred from his/her next event. Any swimmer who

misses two events is removed from the meet.

Meet Management: All parents and spectators are ask to remain in the balcony during

the meet. Only swimmers, coaches and officials are to be on the deck. No folding chairs or camping chairs will be allowed on deck. The main gym will be open as an

overflow area.

Safety Rules and Warm-up Utah Swimming Safety and Warm-Up Procedures will be enforced during this meet. All

Warm-ups must be under the supervision of a USA coach or official. "As per rule 202.3.2, all USA swimming athletes must be under the supervision of a USA Swimming Member coach during warm-up, competition, and warm-down. If you do not have a coach with you, please check in with the meet director or referee before entering the pool and a coach will be assigned to you." ALL SWIMMERS WILL ENTER THE POOL FROM A SITTING POSITION.

All Lanes of the pool will be used for circle swimming only (no equipment may be used).

Lanes 2 and 5 will be opened for dive starts during the last 10 minutes of warm up.

Thursday's events Warm-ups @ 6:45 pm Meet @ 7:30 pm

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	Friday's Events Warm-ups @ 4:00 PM Meet @ 4:45 PM	
3	12-Under 100 IM	4
5	11-0ver 200 IM	6
7	12-under 100 Breaststroke	8
9	11-over 200 Breaststroke	10
11	12-under 50 Butterfly	12
13	13-over 100 Butterfly	14
15	12-under 50 Backstroke	16
17	13-over 100 Backstroke	18
19	12-under 200 Freestyle	20
21	13-over 200 Freestyle	22
	Saturday's Events Warm-ups @ 7:30 AM Meet @ 8:30 AM	
23	12-under 100 Backstroke	26
25	11-over 200 Backstroke	28
27	12-under 50 Freestyle	30
29	13-over 50 Freestyle	32
31	12-under 50 Breaststroke	34
33	13-over 100 Breaststroke	36
35	12-under 100 Butterfly	38
37	11-over 200 Butterfly	40
39	12-under 100 Freestyle	42
41	13-over 100 Freestyle	44
43	11-12 400 IM	46
45	13-over 400 IM	47

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